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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 1, 2006, the time for responding thereto being three months so that a response is due on or before May 1, 2006. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.114, a Request for Continued Examination is filed concurrently with this response to the Final Office Action. Reconsideration and reexamination of the application and presently pending claims, as amended, are respectfully requested at this time.

Kindly amend the subject patent application as follows: